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RAILWAYS - SUPPLY OF
SLEEPERS

Allied Force
MILITARY RAILWAY SERVICE
Office of Director General

APO 400
20 June 1944

SUBJECT: Sicilian Railways - Supply of Sleepers.

TO : Hq. ACC, Transportation Sub-Commission, APO 394, U.S. Army.
(Att: Lt. Col. L. E. Vining).

1. Reference your ACC TN./254/2 letter of 12 June 1944.
2. We regret to advise you that we do not have sufficient ties or sleepers in our stocks on the mainland of Italy to furnish the 18,000 required for use in Sicily. However, we suggest that these can be readily obtained from the forests in Southern Italy, from which source we are obtaining requirements to supplement our stocks of imported ties.

For the Director General;


E. F. McFADDEN,
Colonel, TC,
Asst. Genl. Mgr. Stores.

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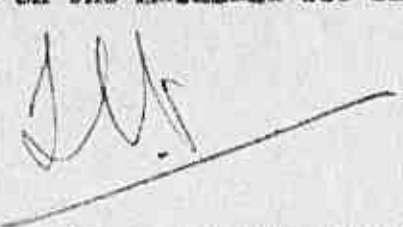
Our Reference : ACC Tn/254/2

Date : 12 June 44

TO : D.G.M.F.S. (attention Col. McFadden).
Naples.

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1. Enclosed herewith is a copy of the report on the recent inspection, made by my Engineer, of the Permanent Way of the Sicilian Railways.
2. It is evident that if these lines are to continue to function certain renewals of sleepers must be made.
3. It is therefore desired to know whether you can permit the immediate release of some 18,000 sleepers from stocks on the mainland for shipment to Sicily.


L.E. VINING,
Lieut-Colonel,
Director, Transportation Sub-Commission, ACC.

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